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NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
AUSTRALIA	<p>Paccar Australia Pty Ltd—Kenworth Trucks T359 & T403</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Kenworth T359 & T403 2011 & 2012 model vehicles</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Campaign number: 12-01</p> <p>Target number: 54</p> <p>Model range: T359 & T403</p> <p>Vin range: 6F5000000BA444086—6F5000000CA446766</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Paccar Australia</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Paccar Australia Pty Ltd—Kenworth Trucks</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Exhaust emissions may not comply with the Australian Design Rule 80/3—Emission Control for Heavy Vehicles.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The Cummins ISMe5 engine software can allow the engine to operate without the use of diesel exhaust fluid.</p>	<p>PACCAR Australia Pty Ltd will be notifying customers via registered mail.</p>
USA	<p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Exmark Quest 42" ZRT Riding Mowers</p> <p>UNITS: About 2,200</p> <p>MANUFACTURER: Exmark Mfg. Co. Inc., of Beatrice, Neb.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This recall involves 2009-2010 Exmark Quest ZRT riding mowers with 42-inch mower decks, model number "QST20BE422" and serial numbers ranging from 790,000 through 860,652. The model and serial numbers are on a metal plate behind the seat. "Exmark" is printed on the side and "Quest" is printed on the front of the mowers. The mowers are red and gray.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: United States</p> 	<p>HAZARD: Bearings supporting the riding mower's deck can fail and cause the deck to interfere with the operator's controls, resulting in a crash hazard.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES: Exmark has received 18 reports of incidents. No injuries have been reported.</p>	<p>Voluntary recall.</p>

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AUSTRALIA	<p>Ducati—Various Ducati Motorcycle Models MY 2012</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Motorcycle models affected: Monster 796, Monster 796 ABS, Monster 1100 EVO ABS, Hypermotard 796, Streetfighter 848, 848 EVO, Multistrada 1200 ABS, 1199 S Panigale</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Campaign number: 851/12 Target number: 13</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Authorised Ducati dealerships</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Ducati Motor Holding No picture available</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>If the rear braking function is impaired, an accident may occur.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>Due to use of inferior brake-pad material, the rear brake may not function adequately under heavy braking.</p>	<p>Consumers should contact their authorised Ducati dealer as soon as possible to arrange for the replacement of the rear brake pads on the motorcycle. For more information, consumers can contact the National After-Sales Department on 02 87413838 / 02 8741 3831, Monday to Friday between 8:30am and 5pm AEST.</p>
AUSTRALIA	<p>Land Rover Australia—Rear Propeller Shaft Coupling</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Aftermarket coupling supplied by BJ Seals from April 2011 to February 2012. The coupling may be fitted to:</p> <p>Discovery 1995-1998 Discovery 2 1999-2004 Range Rover Classic 1995 Range Rover P38 1994-2001</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Campaign number: P024 Target number: 70 Part number: TVF100010</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Land Rover Parts (Caterpillar Australia) and through the franchised dealer network.</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Land Rover Australia No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>As a result of the defect, the coupling may fail, which will lead to increased drivetrain vibration. In the worst case, the prop shaft can detach from the vehicle whilst in motion, resulting in a loss of drive to the rear wheels and a risk to other road users and pedestrians.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The rear propeller shaft coupling was not manufactured to appropriate specifications.</p>	<p>Contact your local Land Rover/Range Rover dealer for further information.</p>

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AUSTRALIA	<p>ATECO Automotive Pty Ltd—Ferrari Motor Vehicle</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Ferrari motor vehicle</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Traget number: 2 VIN:182713 & 183304</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Authorised Ferrari dealer</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>ATECO AUTOMOTIVE PTY LTD</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.ferrari.com.au</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>A crankshaft failure will cause engine seizure and potential loss of control of the vehicle, which may cause an accident.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>A machining fault may cause crankshaft failure.</p>	<p>A letter is being sent to affected owners. Customers may contact the authorised Ferrari dealer for further information.</p>
AUSTRALIA	<p>Fiat Chrysler Group—RT Dodge Grand Caravan and Chrysler Town & Country</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>M17 power liftgate pinch sensor for model RT Dodge Grand Caravan and Chrysler Town & Country</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Target number: 3 VIN numbers: 2C4RC1F57CR273809, 2C4RC1F55CR273825 & 2C4RC1F57CR287726</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Authorised Chrysler, Jeep or Dodge dealers nationally</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Fiat Chrysler Group</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Failure of the liftgate sensor may cause personal injury in the event of users or by-standers placing their hands or fingers in the liftgate opening.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The right side power liftgate pinch sensor may not function as intended, resulting in an increase in force required to stop the power liftgate during the final closing stages.</p>	<p>A letter is being sent to affected owners. Alternatively, consumers can contact their Chrysler, Jeep, or Dodge distributor/dealer to schedule a service appointment at their convenience.</p>
AUSTRALIA	<p>Fiat Chrysler Group—2011-2012 Dodge Charger & Chrysler 300</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Dodge Charger & Chrysler 300 (2011-2012 year models)</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Target number: 1 VIN: 2C3CCANJ0CH133499</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Authorised Chrysler, Jeep or Dodge dealers nationally</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Fiat Chrysler Group</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>A loss of ABS/ESC under certain driving conditions could cause an accident without warning.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The Power Distribution Center (PDC) may overheat, causing a loss of function of the Antilock Brake System (ABS) and/ or Electronic Stability Control (ESC).</p>	<p>A letter is being sent to affected owners. Alternatively, consumers can contact their Chrysler, Jeep, or Dodge distributor/dealer to schedule a service appointment at their convenience.</p>

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AUSTRALIA	<p>Ford—Ford SZ Territory</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Ford SZ Territory vehicle left-hand C pillar side impact sensor</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Campaign number: S1205 Target number: 134</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Ford authorised dealers</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Ford Motor Company of Australia Limited</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>In the event of a side collision, the side curtain airbag may not operate correctly, possibly resulting in serious injury to the occupant.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>There is a possibility that a sensor that forms part of the vehicle's supplemental restraint system may not have been secured.</p>	<p>Ford will write to owners of all affected vehicles.</p> <p>Owners are advised to contact their Ford authorised dealership for inspection and rectification. For further information, contact any authorised Ford dealer or Ford's customer relationship centre on 1800 503 672.</p>
AUSTRALIA	<p>Yamaha Motor Australia Pty Ltd—Yamaha Wave Runner Model VX1800</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Yamaha Wave Runner Model VX1800</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Model: VX1800 Serial Range: F2M 0800101 - F2M 0805700 F2M 0805701 - F2M 0809500</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Yamaha dealers</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Yamaha Motor Australia Pty Ltd</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>HAZARDS</p> <p>If the jet pump nozzle cracks, this results in decreased performance and steering ability. Decreased steering ability may lead to an accident.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The jet pump nozzle may crack during operation.</p>	<p>Yamaha Motor Australia will contact all owners by direct mail. Owners should contact their local Yamaha Dealer to set up an appointment to have your unit remedied free of charge. If you need help finding a Yamaha Dealer in your area, simply visit www.yamahamotor.com.au/dealers/all or call 1300 593 600.</p>
EU/ GERMANY	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Van/Passenger vehicle "Sprinter"</p> <p>BRAND: Mercedes-Benz</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type: 906 EC type-approval numbers: e1*2001/116*0354, e1*2007/46*0279, e1*2007/46*0301</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The vehicles affected were produced in December 2011.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Germany</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The use of bolts with the incorrect property class can, in the long-term, lead to the slackening of the attachments for the towing eye, tow bar or end cross-member. In such cases, it cannot be ruled out that parts will become detached from the vehicle.</p>	<p>Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.</p>

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EU/ PORTUGAL	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Van "Hilux"</p> <p>BRAND: Toyota</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>The recall concerns vehicles produced between 10/08/2011 to 26/03/2012 and with VINs ranging from 09065386 to 09075957.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Van</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: South Africa</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The wrong specification rear differential may be installed. In this condition, the speed reading on the speedometer is incorrect and the vehicle may become difficult to control if 4WD is engaged on roads with low friction.</p>	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.
EU/ GERMANY	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Passenger car 206+</p> <p>BRAND: Peugeot</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>Type-approval: e2*2001/116*0374*07</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The vehicles concerned were manufactured in 2012.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: France</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries because, in the case of an impact, the rear right safety belt does not operate optimally due to the way in which it is mounted.</p>	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.
EU/SPAIN	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Passenger car CR-V</p> <p>BRAND: Honda</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>Vehicles manufactured between 7 November 2001 and 17 September 2004.</p> <p>CR-V 2002 model: VINs SHSRD8***2U000101 to SHSRD8***2U036601</p> <p>CR-V 2003 model: VINs SHSRD8***3U100101 to SHSRD8***3U134080</p> <p>CR-V 2004 model: VINs SHSRD8***4U200101 to SHSRD8***4U237794</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Passenger car.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United Kingdom</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The dipped-beam headlamps may fail to switch on or cut out while the vehicle is being driven leading to the risk of an accident.</p>	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.

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EU/GREECE	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Motorcycles</p> <p>Monster 796, Monster 796 ABS, Monster 1100 EVO ABS, Hypermotard 796, Streetfighter 848, 848 EVO, Multistrada 1200 ABS, 1199 S Panigale</p> <p>BRAND: Ducati</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>The recall affects motorcycles with VINs in the following ranges:</p> <p>Monster 796: ZDMM506AABB055688 to ZDMM506AACB058702</p> <p>Monster 1100 EVO ABS: ZDMM511AABB055918 to ZDMM511AACB058584</p> <p>Hypermotard 796: ZDM1YAAN2CB025430 to ZDMB101AACB025701</p> <p>Streetfighter 848: ZDMF102AACB009883 to ZDMF104JACB010427</p> <p>848 EVO: ZDM1XBMV7CB019577 to ZDM1XBMV1CB019980</p> <p>Multistrada 1200: ZDMA200AECB018289 to ZDM12BLWXCB018562</p> <p>1199 Panigale : ZDMH800AACB000097 to ZDMH800ACB001231</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Motorcycle</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Italy</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The potential release of friction material from the rear brake pads may cause a road accident with a risk of injuries for the rider.</p>	<p>Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.</p>
EU/GERMANY	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Passenger car "Ghost"</p> <p>BRAND: Rolls-Royce</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type RR4, EC type approval e11*2007/46*0101</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The cars in question were manufactured in April 2011.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United Kingdom</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>FIRE</p> <p>A defective pump casing for the auxiliary coolant pump of the exhaust-gas turbocharger can cause cracking and, if cooling liquid penetrates the casing, a short circuit or smouldering could occur. In the event of smouldering damage, a fire in the engine or even a vehicle fire cannot be completely excluded.</p>	<p>Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.</p>

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EU/SPAIN	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Van "Crafter"</p> <p>BRAND: Volkswagen</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: In total, 47 vehicles are affected in Europe.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Van.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Germany</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The screws used for the towing device/hitch or the rear step and/or mount may loosen or, in the worst-case scenario, break. There is therefore a possibility that components could become detached causing damage to other vehicles while it is being driven.</p>	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.
EU/SPAIN	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Motorcycle</p> <p>EX250K (Ninja 250), ER650E (ER6n), ER650F (ER6n ABS), EX650E (ER6f), LE650C (Versys) and LE650D (Versys)</p> <p>BRAND: Kawasaki</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>VINs:</p> <p>EX250KC JKAEX250KKDA39203 - JKAEX250KKDA42510</p> <p>ER650EC JKAER650EEDA01581 - JKAER650EEDA04992</p> <p>ER650FC JKAER650EFDA00101 - JKAER650EFDA01002</p> <p>EX650EC JKAEX650EEDA01012 - JKAEX650EEDA01604</p> <p>KLE650CC JKALE650CCDA05726 - JKALE650CCDA06704</p> <p>KLE650DC JKALE650CDDA02504 - JKALE650CDDA02743</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Motorcycles of engine capacities 250cc and 650cc.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Japan</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES</p> <p>The circlip securing the passenger footrest pivot can break, as a result of which both the pivot and the footrest could come off. This could cause the passenger to lean and the motorcycle to lose balance.</p>	Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.

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EU/ GERMANY	<p>CATEGORY: Motor vehicles</p> <p>PRODUCT: Passenger car "B5 BITURBO"</p> <p>BRAND: Alpina</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type: ALPINA5, EC type approval e1*KS07/46*0011*, Sales name BMW Alpina B5 Biturbo</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The ALPINA5 vehicles in question were manufactured between April 2011 and May 2011.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Germany</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>INJURIES AND FIRE</p> <p>The casing of the auxiliary coolant pump may crack. If this occurs, coolant can leak into the pump electronics. This can lead to failure of the auxiliary coolant pump. In a few individual cases, there may be smoulder damage to the auxiliary coolant pump. If this occurs, an engine compartment fire or even a vehicle fire could occur.</p>	<p>Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>forest river / Georgetown-2010-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>forest river / georgetown</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>power train: automatic transmission: gear position indication (prndl)</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>1,468</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Forest river is recalling certain model year 2010-2012 georgetown recreational vehicles built on a ford stripped chassis, manufactured from February 15, 2010, through November 29, 2011. The gear shifter's cable may break at the attachment to the transmission control selector arm assembly mounted on the steering column. If the cable breaks, the transmission gear indicator in the gear display in the instrument panel will remain in the first gear position regardless of the gear selected.</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>An incorrect gear indication in the instrument panel increases the risk that a vehicle is left in gear, such that the vehicle could roll leading to a crash or injury to a bystander.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Forest river will notify owners, and dealers will replace the transmission selector arm assembly and the cable assembly, free of charge. Forest river has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact forest river at 1-574-295-8749.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL optima / opus-2007-2009</p> <p>MANUFACTURER North American bus industries, inc.</p> <p>COMPONENT steering: column</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 50</p> <p>SUMMARY North American bus industries (nabi) is recalling certain model year 2007-2009 optima opus29 and opus34 model transit buses, manufactured from August 8, 2007, through September 21, 2009. The pinch bolts in the steering column shaft may loosen to the extent that they may fall out allowing the steering shaft to separate. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE Separation of the steering shaft will result in a loss of steering control, increasing the risk of a vehicle crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Nabi will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and repair vehicles free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during May 2012. Owners may contact nabi at 1-256-831-4296.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL Chrysler / 300-2011-2012 dodge / charger-2011-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER Chrysler group llc</p> <p>COMPONENT electrical system: fuses and circuit breakers</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 119,072</p> <p>SUMMARY Chrysler is recalling certain model year 2011 and 2012 300 and dodge charger vehicles. These vehicles may lose abs/esc system function due to an overheated power distribution center. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE This could lead to loss of vehicle control, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will relocate the abs/esc system fuse, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during May 2012. Owners may contact Chrysler at 1-800-853-1403.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>startrans / candidate-2008-2010 startrans / candidate ii-2007-2010 startrans / president-2009-2010 startrans / senator-2007-2010 startrans / senator hd-2007-2010 startrans / senator ii-2007-2010 startrans / trolley-2008-2010 startrans / vans-2010</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>startrans bus corporation</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>equipment adaptive</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>2,060</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Startrans is recalling certain model year 2007-2010 transit buses equipped with braun century-2 and vista-2 wheelchair lifts. Over time and with frequent use, the roll stop latches on the outer barrier may become bent or misaligned. See the above list for the affected models.</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>A wheelchair occupant may defeat or ride over the insufficiently latched roll stop. If this occurs when the lift platform is in an elevated position, the wheelchair's occupant could fall and sustain injury.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Startrans will notify owners, and the repairs will be performed by authorized braun dealers, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during May 2012. Owners may contact startrans at 1-877-258-1391.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>crossroads / elevation-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>crossroads rv</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>fuel system, gasoline: storage: auxillary tank</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>24</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Crossroads is recalling certain model year 2012 elevation recreational vehicles, manufactured from November 7, 2011, through February 22, 2012. The onboard, auxiliary fuel storage tank is installed too high, which does not permit the tank to be filled properly. As a result, fuel may come back out of the fuel filler neck and spill.</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>In the presence of an ignition source, this could cause a fire or an explosion which may result in personal injury or death.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Crossroads will notify owners, and dealers will replace the fuel tank mounting brackets free of charge. The recall is expected to begin in May 2012. Owners may contact thor at 937-596-6849 or crossroads at 260-593-2866.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL startrans / mfsab-2009-2010</p> <p>MANUFACTURER startrans bus corporation</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment adaptive</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 4</p> <p>SUMMARY Startrans is recalling certain 2009 and 2010 mfsab school buses, equipped with braun wheelchair lifts. Over time and with frequent use, the roll stop latches on the outer barrier may become bent or misaligned. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE A wheelchair occupant may defeat or ride over the insufficiently latched roll stop. If this occurs when the lift platform is in an elevated position, the wheelchair's occupant could fall and sustain injury.</p>	<p>REMEDY Startrans will notify owners, and the repairs will be performed by authorized braun dealers free of charge. The recall is expected to begin during May 2012. owners may contact startrans at 1-574-642-0811.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL bloomer / evolution-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER bloomer trailer manufacturing inc</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 23</p> <p>SUMMARY Bloomer trailers manufacturing incorporated (bloomer) is recalling certain model year 2012 evolution gooseneck trailers equipped with dexter electric/hydraulic (e/h) brake actuator pumps. Some of these pumps may not have been properly heat treated. This condition can cause premature wear of some critical components in these pumps which can render the unit inoperable. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE The e/h brake actuator provides braking power to the trailer brakes. Failure of the actuator can result in the loss of braking effort by the trailer, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Bloomer has notified all owners, and dexter has replaced the actuators, free of charge, therefore, an owner notification notice will not be issued for this campaign. Owners may contact bloomer trailers at 1-800-390-6377.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL jayco / jay flight-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER jayco, inc.</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment: other: labels</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 66</p> <p>SUMMARY Jayco is recalling certain model year 2012 jay flight bungalow travel trailers, manufactured from March 19, 2012, through March 27, 2012. The load range and the cold tire inflation pressure on these trailers are incorrectly identified. Thus, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 120, "tire selection and rims for motor vehicles other than passenger cars." No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE Relying on the a misprinted label could lead to improper vehicle loading specifications or tire inflation which could result in a tire failure, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Jayco will notify owners, and dealers will remove and replace the labels with a correct label. The recall will begin in May 2012. Owners should contact jayco at 574-825-0608.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL airstream / international-2012-2013</p> <p>MANUFACTURER airstream, inc.</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment: other: labels</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 12</p> <p>SUMMARY Airstream is recalling certain model year 2012-2013 international eddie bauer travel trailers. The part 567 certification labels on the vehicles contain incorrect tire and rim size information. Thus, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 110, "tire selection and rims." No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE Incorrect tire and tire pressure information on the label could lead to the installation of a tire with the wrong load rating and insufficient tire pressure. These conditions could result in tire failure, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Airstream will mail to consumers the corrected label and provide instructions on how install the label. The recall will begin in May 2012. Owners should contact thor at 937-596-6849 or airstream at 937-538-1268.</p>

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NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL reinke / intermodal cont chassis-2012 reinke / intermodal exten chassis-2010 reinke / intermodal tank chassis-2011-2013</p> <p>MANUFACTURER reinke manufacturing company, inc.</p> <p>COMPONENT suspension: multiple axle</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 507</p> <p>SUMMARY Reinke is recalling certain 2010-2013 intermodal chassis frames. On certain chassis frames, the locking ring that secures the spindle nut is missing from the axle or is improperly installed and the spindle nuts may not be properly torqued which can lead to wheel separation. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE If wheel separation occurs, the driver may lose control of the vehicle, and detached dual wheels may enter the roadway, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Reinke will notify owners, and service repair facilities will inspect and repair axles as necessary. This service will be performed free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on or about May 4, 2012. Owners may contact reinke at 1-402-365-7521 or toll free 1-877-762-1001.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL dodge / ram 1500-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER Chrysler group llc</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment: other: labels</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 129</p> <p>SUMMARY Chrysler is recalling certain model year 2012 ram 1500 trucks, manufactured from January 5, 2012 through January 6, 2012. The affected vehicles have a spare tire that does not match the specifications listed on the tire placard. Thus, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 110, "tire selection and rims." No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE If installed, the incorrectly sized spare tire may unexpectedly activate the electronic stability control (esc) system, altering the effectiveness of the esc system, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and repair vehicles as necessary free of charge. The recall will begin in May 2012. Owners should contact Chrysler at 1-800-853-1403.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL goshen / g-force-2010-2011 goshen / gc ii-2007-2011 goshen / gcii connection-2010-2011 goshen / pacer-2007-2011 goshen / pacer ls-2008-2011 goshen / pacer ltd-2007-2010 goshen / sentinel-2008-2010</p> <p>MANUFACTURER goshen coach</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment adaptive</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 2,802</p> <p>SUMMARY Goshen is recalling certain model year 2007-2011 transit buses equipped with braun century-2 and vista-2 wheelchair lifts. Over time and with frequent use, the roll stop latches on the outer barrier may become bent or misaligned. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE A wheelchair occupant may defeat or ride over the insufficiently latched roll stop. If this occurs when the lift platform is in an elevated position, the wheelchair's occupant could fall and sustain injury.</p>	<p>REMEDY Goshen will notify owners, and repairs will be performed by authorized braun dealers, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during May 2012. Owners may contact goshen at 1-574-970-6300.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL ford / windstar-1998-2003</p> <p>MANUFACTURER ford motor company</p> <p>COMPONENT suspension:rear:axle:non-powered axle assembly</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 9,400</p> <p>SUMMARY Ford is recalling certain model year 1998-2003 windstar vehicles manufactured from September 1, 1997, through July 3, 2003, registered in puerto rico. Due to increased stresses caused by high cycles of torsional loading, specific to this market, the rear axle can crack. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE A fractured axle may result in a loss of vehicle control, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Ford will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and install a reinforcement bracket on the rear axle or replace the axles, as necessary. This service will be provided free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on or about May 21, 2012. Owners may contact the ford motor company customer relationship center at 1-866-436-7332.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL ford / windstar-1999-2003</p> <p>MANUFACTURER ford motor company</p> <p>COMPONENT suspension: front: control arm</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 23,000</p> <p>SUMMARY Ford is recalling certain model year 1999-2003 windstar vehicles originally sold in or currently registered in the state of virginia. Corrosion-related fractures of the front lower control arm rear attaching brackets and body mount attachments may occur. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE A separation of a front lower control arm rear attaching bracket may result in a lower control arm separation. A separation of both front subframe rear body mounts may result in separation of the steering intermediate shaft. Either condition could result in significant loss of steering control, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Dealers will inspect both front lower control arm rear attaching brackets and both body mount attachments at the rear of the front subframe and make the necessary repairs free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on June 18, 2012. Owners may contact ford at 1-866-436-7332.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL ford / expedition-2012 ford / f-150-2011 ford / f150-2012 ford / mustang-2012-2013 lincoln / navigator-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER ford motor company</p> <p>COMPONENT exterior lighting: back up lights</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 10,500</p> <p>SUMMARY Ford is recalling certain model year 2011-2012 ford f-150, 2012 expedition and lincoln navigator, and 2012-2013 mustang vehicles, for failing to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard nos. 102, "transmission shift lever sequence, starter interlock, and transmission braking effect" and 108 "lamps, reflective devices and associated equipment." These vehicles may have a transmission range sensor (trs) that was calibrated out of specification for reverse gear. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE If this condition exists, the transmission may not go into reverse or when the driver pushes the shift lever in the reverse "r" position and the vehicle's transmission does go in reverse, the "r" may not illuminate on the dashboard of the f-150, expedition, or navigator models and/or the backup lamp on the rear of the f-150, expedition, navigator, or mustang vehicles may not illuminate. These conditions increase the risk of a crash or a pedestrian being struck due to the vehicle's not signaling it is in reverse.</p>	<p>REMEDY Ford will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and replace the trs as necessary, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin on or about June 25, 2012. Owners may contact ford motor company customer relationship center at 1-866-436-7332.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL ford / windstar-1998-2003</p> <p>MANUFACTURER ford motor company</p> <p>COMPONENT power train: axle assembly</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 27,000</p> <p>SUMMARY Ford is recalling certain model year 1998-2003 windstar vehicles manufactured from September 1, 1997, through July 3, 2003, and currently registered or originally sold in Virginia. Over time, corrosion can weaken the rear axle making it susceptible to torsional stress. Corrosion and stress can lead to cracks which, if undetected, can increase and result in a complete fracture of the axle. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE A fractured axle can affect vehicle handling and increase the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Ford will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and install rear axle reinforcement brackets, or replace the axles, as necessary. This service will be performed free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on or about June 18, 2012. Owners may contact ford at 1-866-436-7332.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL international / lonestar-2012-2013 international / paystar-2010-2013 international / prostar-2010-2013 international / transtar-2010-2013 international / workstar-2010-2013</p> <p>MANUFACTURER Navistar, inc</p> <p>COMPONENT electrical system: alternator/generator/regulator</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 19,264</p> <p>SUMMARY Navistar is recalling certain model year 2010 through 2013 paystar, workstar, transtar, and prostar, and model year 2012 and 2013 lonestar commercial trucks manufactured from June 1, 2009, through April 4, 2012, equipped with a maxxforce 11 or 13 engine (feature code 12uxj or 12uxh) and with bosch alternator feature codes 08ggn, 08ggr, 08ghg, or 08ghh. The alternator cable may rub on the high pressure power steering hose, possibly chafing its insulation and causing an electrical short. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE An electrical short may cause a vehicle fire possibly resulting in property damage, personal injury, or death.</p>	<p>REMEDY Navistar will install a standoff bracket and improve harness routing to better route the alternator wires away from the power steering hose. Navistar did not provide an expected start date for the recall, but an interim notice will be mailed to owners if parts will not be available before June 30, 2012. Owners may contact Navistar at 1-800-448-7825.</p>

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USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>international / paystar-2010-2012 international / prostar-2010-2012 international / transtar-2010-2012 international / workstar-2010-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>Navistar, inc</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>electrical system: alternator/generator/regulator</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>5,663</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Navistar is recalling certain model year 2010-2012 paystar, workstar, transtar, and prostar commercial trucks manufactured from June 1, 2009, through May 31, 2011, equipped with a maxxforce 11 or 13 engine (feature code 12uxj or 12uxh) and with alternator feature code 08ggn, 08ggr, 08 ghg, or 08ghh. The alternator cable may rub on the high pressure power steering hose, possibly chafing its insulation and causing an electrical short.</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>An electrical short may cause a vehicle fire possibly resulting in property damage, personal injury, or death.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Navistar will install a bracket to route the wires away from the power steering hose. Navistar did not provide an expected start date for the recall, but an interim notice will be mailed to owners if parts will not be available until after October 14, 2011. Owners may contact navistar at 1-800-448-7825. This recall campaign has been superseded by 12v-196.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>Chrysler / town and country-2012 dodge / grand caravan-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>Chrysler group llc</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>equipment</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>471</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Chrysler is recalling certain model year 2012 town and country and dodge grand caravan vehicles, manufactured from March 9, 2012 through March 12, 2012. Some vehicles may be equipped with a right side liftgate pinch sensor that does not function properly. As a result, increased force may be required in order to stop the power liftgate during final closing stages.</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>The power liftgate door may close on an appendage, increasing the risk of injury.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and replace the right side liftgate pinch sensors, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin in May 2012. Owners may contact chrysler at 1-800-853-1403.</p>

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NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	ANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>ducati / 848 evo-2012 ducati / hypermotard 796-2012 ducati / monster 1100 evo-2012 ducati / monster 796-2012 ducati / multistrada 1200 abs-2012 ducati / streetfighter 848-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>ducati North America</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>service brakes, hydraulic: foundation components: disc: pads</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>283</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Ducati is recalling certain model year 2012 848, streetfighter, hypermotard, multistrada, and monster motorcycles. The friction material may detach from the backing plate of the rear brake pads.</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>If the friction material detaches, there would be a sudden loss of rear brake efficiency, increasing the stopping distance and increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Ducati will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and replace, as necessary, the rear brake pads free of charge. Ducati has not yet provided the agency with an owner notification schedule for this campaign. Owners may contact Ducati at 1-800-231-6696 or go to their website at www.ducati.com.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL</p> <p>bmw / 3-series-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER</p> <p>bmw of North America, llc</p> <p>COMPONENT</p> <p>seats: front assembly: head restraint</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED</p> <p>7,600</p> <p>SUMMARY</p> <p>Bmw is recalling certain model year 2012 bmw 3-series vehicles manufactured from October 19, 2011, through March 18, 2012, that have front seat head restraints that exceed the downward movement limit of 25mm in the highest position. Thus, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 202a,"head restraints."</p> <p>No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE</p> <p>In the event of a vehicle crash, the head restraint may unexpectedly move down slightly if it was adjusted to the fully extended position, increasing the risk of personal injury.</p>	<p>REMEDY</p> <p>Bmw will notify owners, and dealers will attach a clamp to the front seat head restraint posts, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during May 2012. Owners may contact bmw customer relations and services at 1-800-525-7417.</p>

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NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL wilson / gooseneck-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER wilson trailer company</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 24</p> <p>SUMMARY Wilson trailer company (wilson trailer) is recalling certain model year 2012 gooseneck trailers equipped with dexter electric/hydraulic (e/h) brake actuator pumps. Some of these pumps may not have been properly heat treated. This condition can cause premature wear of some critical components in these pumps which can render the unit inoperable. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE The e/h brake actuator provides braking power to the trailer brakes. Failure of the actuator can result in the loss of braking effort by the trailer, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Wilson trailer will notify owners, and dexter axle will replace the actuators, free of charge. The safety recall is expected to begin during May 2012. Owners may contact wilson trailer at 1-712-252-6477.</p>
USA	<p>VEHICLE MAKE / MODEL ford / f150-2012</p> <p>MANUFACTURER ford motor company</p> <p>COMPONENT air bags: frontal: sensor/control module</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED 101</p> <p>SUMMARY Ford is recalling certain model year 2012 f-150 vehicles manufactured from November 6, 2012, through November 15, 2012. Incorrect software for the occupant classification system module (ocsm) was installed on the vehicles either at the time of manufacturing or during the course of replacement of the module as part of a service repair. Under certain driving conditions, the ocsm may misclassify the passenger seat's occupant such that the passenger side airbag does not deploy when it should, does not deploy as intended, or deploys when it should not. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE A failure to deploy, failure to deploy as intended, or a deployment when not intended, increases the risk of injury to the passenger side seat occupant.</p>	<p>REMEDY Ford will notify owners, and dealers will replace the ocsm free of charge. Ford expects to begin on or about May 21, 2012. Owners may contact the ford motor company customer relationship center at 1-866-436-7332.</p>

AUTO: CHILD SAFETY SEAT

NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	<p>CHILD RESTRAINT BRAND NAME / MODEL OR MODEL NO.: djg / ic123fsm (comfy carry) djg / ic124fsm (onboard 35)</p> <p>MANUFACTURER dorel juvenile group</p> <p>COMPONENT child seat</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 1,737</p> <p>SUMMARY Dorel juvenile group (djg) is recalling certain infant child restraints, models ic124fsm (onboard 35) and ic123fsm (comfy carry), produced from May 2011 through April 2012, were sold without the separate seat base that contains the required latch attachment assembly. Without the latch assembly, these units fail to conform to the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 213, "child restraint systems." No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE Without the latch system, the seat may be more difficult to properly secure and in the event of a vehicle crash, the child may not be adequately protected and is at an increased risk for injury.</p>	<p>REMEDY Djg will notify registered owners and distributors. Bases which include latch systems will be provided at no cost to all those who verify they have the affected units. Non-registered owners should contact djg at 1-877-416-8111 or by email at infantlatchrecall@djgusa.com.</p>

AUTO: MOTOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT			
NOTIFYING COUNTRY	PRODUCT	DANGER	MEASURES ADOPTED
USA	<p>EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. cvg / hp air suspension seat</p> <p>MANUFACTURER commercial vehicle group</p> <p>COMPONENT seats</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 215</p> <p>SUMMARY Commercial vehicle group (cvg) is recalling certain aftermarket hp model air suspension driver seats manufactured between December 20, 2011, and February 2, 2012, sold for use on various heavy duty trucks. The seat bases contain a potentially defective weld joint that may allow the seat to buckle unexpectedly. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE An unexpected movement or collapse of the driver's seat could affect vehicle control, increasing the risk of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Cvg will notify owners on or about May 30, 2012. The seats will be inspected by dealers to determine if the welds were done robotically. Seat bases will be replaced free of charge. Owners may contact cvg at 1-800-222-7328.</p>
USA	<p>EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. carrier / em-1</p> <p>MANUFACTURER nesco bus maintenance</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment: electrical: air conditioner</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 231</p> <p>SUMMARY Nesco bus maintenance (nesco) is recalling certain carrier gen v em-1 evaporators installed as original equipment by nesco on various school and transit buses. The em-1 evaporators contain a fuse holder in the motor assembly which due to time, temperature, and/or vibration may cause the fuse to loosen in the fuse holder, resulting in high resistance and arcing. No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE If sufficient arcing occurs, the fuse holder may melt and potentially cause a fire.</p>	<p>REMEDY Nesco will notify owners and provide information on how to obtain the retrofit kit from carrier along with repair instructions. This service will be performed free of charge. Nesco has not provided a notification schedule. (See carrier's recall campaign 11e-003.) owners may contact carrier at 1-800-348-7440. In order to determine if your vehicle is affected, please review the list of vehicles provided to us by nesco by clicking on the affected vehicle list.</p>

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USA	<p>EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. glx / 501c</p> <p>MANUFACTURER galaxy helmets & accessories</p> <p>COMPONENT equipment: motorcycle: helmets</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 747</p> <p>SUMMARY Galaxy helmets and accessories (galaxy helmets) is recalling certain glx 501c extra large motorcycle helmets. These helmets fail to conform to the impact requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard (fmvss) no. 218, "motorcycle helmets." No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE The wearer of a noncompliant helmet can sustain serious injuries in the event of a crash.</p>	<p>REMEDY Galaxy helmets will notify owners and the helmets will be modified to bring them into compliance with fmvss no. 218 free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided the agency with a notification schedule. Owners may contact galaxy helmets at 1-626-359-0900.</p>
USA	<p>EQUIPMENT BRAND NAME / PART NO. OR MODEL NO. smi / prolo</p> <p>MANUFACTURER specialty manufacturing</p> <p>COMPONENT structure: body: roof and pillars</p> <p>POTENTIAL NUMBER OF UNITS AFFECTED: 15,462</p> <p>SUMMARY Specialty manufacturing, inc. (smi) is recalling certain prolo bus roof escape hatches installed as original equipment on various school and transit buses shipped from April 1, 2011, through march 25, 2012. These hatches may have also been used as service replacement parts. Increased friction between the rear plate assemblies, p/no. 009327, and the nylon rear pop-up support, p/no. 008956, may result in an opening force of the prolo roof hatches that exceeds federal standard requirements. Thus, these hatches fail to conform to the requirements of federal motor vehicle safety standard no. 217, "bus emergency exits and window retention and release." No picture available.</p>	<p>CONSEQUENCE In the event of an emergency, the vehicle occupants may be unable to open the roof hatch, which would hinder egress of the bus, possibly resulting in injury to the vehicle occupants.</p>	<p>REMEDY Smi is working with the bus manufacturers to identify and notify the owners of the recall campaign. The buses will be repaired free of charge. In order to determine if your hatch affected, please review the list of prolo model and part number provided to us by smi by clicking on the hyperlink "affected model list." The manufacturer has not yet provided the agency with a notification schedule. Owners may contact smi at 1-800-951-7867 or their vehicle manufacturer.</p>

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PRODUCT RECALLS IN EUROPE

The Rapid Alert System for Non-Food Products (RAPEX) - Weekly overview reports of RAPEX notifications.

http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/dyna/rapex/rapex_archives_en.cfm

The official contact points of the Member and EFTA-EEA States provide the information published in these weekly overviews. Under the terms of Annex II.10 to the General Product Safety Directive (2001/95/EC) responsibility for the information provided lies with the notifying party. The Commission does not take any responsibility for the accuracy of the information provided.

PRODUCT RECALLS IN THE USA

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA)

www-odi.nhtsa.dot.gov/cars/problems/recalls/recallsearch.cfm (US Automotive recalls)

PRODUCT RECALLS IN AUSTRALIA

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